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**TWO PROJECTS TO GET UNDERWAY ON US ROUTE 3 IN HOOKSETT**

***Intersections of US 3/NH Route 28 and US 3/NH Route 28 Bypass***

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces work is about to begin on two separate projects approximately three miles apart on US Route 3 in Hooksett.

One project involves the realignment, widening and signalization of the US 3 intersection with NH Route 28 Bypass. Much of the initial work this fall will address drainage improvements, which will require occasional lane closures.

Continental Paving of Londonderry, New Hampshire is the contractor for the \$3.1 million project, which has a completion date of November 2005.

The second Hooksett project getting underway involves the upgrading of traffic signals at the intersection of US 3/NH 28 and NH Route 28A. This work will require some lane closures during the month of September.

New England Signal Systems of Northwood, New Hampshire is the contractor for the \$210,000 project, which is scheduled to be completed in May 2005.